Finance, directed by Tran Ba, former chief of the third armament bureau of the Ministry of National Defense.

Technical and Chemical, directed by two German engineers. One of these is named Tran Thanh. They are assisted by eight Vietnamese chemical engineers.

Research, directed by five Japanese engineers. This section conducts research on light and heavy arms, including SK 3 and 1 guns and automatic mines.

Supply, directed by Le Kien. This section, with branches along the China-Indochina border, is responsible for the purchase of supplies for the technical sections of the Armament Bureau.

Secretariat, headed by Pham Quang. This section, with headquarters on a mountain near the former Bac Kan airfield, is responsible for the maintenance of DRV arms workshops.

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Technical Section This section, with offices at Tu Do, Tuyen Ouang, is directed by a German engineer.

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Administration

Phan Phong

Research

Le Vi Viet

Special Secretariat

Supply

Nguyen Phu

Armorys

Chinh

The Special Secretariat is responsible for the maintenance of all arms workshops in the Viet Bac Intersece. They include the following:

No. XK 40 20 Tuyen Quang Director: Nguyen Ngoc

No. XGK 45

Director: Le Chuc Employees: 100

Hong Do, southern Ha Giang

Equipment: 4 lathes; 2 drills

Daily Production: 20 guns

No. K. 30

Voi Phuc mountain, near

Lac Babe (105-38, 22-23), Bac Kan.

Director: Pham Thao Employees: 120

Equipment: 2 lathes; 2 drills; 1 forge; steamrollers for production of electric current Daily Production: 2 to 4 SK 3 guns

No. K. 26 near Lac Babe

Director: Le Phu Employees: 80

Equipment: 2 forges

Daily Production: 100-150 grenade shells

No. KH 25 (Phan Dinh Phung) Linh Nham (105-51, 21-36),

Dong Hi, Thai Nguyen

Director: Sy Employees: 100

Equipment: 2 lathes; 1 forge

Daily Production: 2 mortars

fo No. KA 24

Binh Ca (105-18, 21-46),

Thai Nguyen

Director: Chan

Employees: 80
Equipment: 2 forges

Daily Production: 80 grenade shells

g. No. KVB

My Trang, Dai Tu, Thai

Nguyen

Director: Canh, an engineer

Employees: 120

Daily Production: Unknown; this shop specializes in chemicals and explosives.

"Ho Chi Minh"

Nuoc Hai (106-10, 22-43),

Ha Giang

Director: Phong Employees: 200

Daily Production: 8 bazookas; 50 bazooka

shells

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## Armament Service for Intersector III

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Nguyen Duc Tinh

Deputy Director

Tran Van Binh

Secretariat

Vu Duong

Technical Section

Phan Phu Phuc

Administration

Ha Dang Ap

Special Secretariat

Le Van Y

Research

Tran Van Yen

Supply

Le Chinh

Armorys

Trinh Van Nhan

- Headquarters for the Armament Service for Intersector III are in the La Han 5. (105-11, 20-21) area of Thanh Hoa, where they were transferred in late 1950.
- 6. The Special Secretariat is responsible for the maintenance of all arms workshops in Interzone III. They include the following:

No. K lE

Director: Bac Dang Nghia

Chanh, Quang Dinh,

Employees: 160

Thanh Hoa

Equipment: 2 lathes; 2 drills; 2 planing machines; steam-rollers for the production

of electric current

Production: shells and mortars

b. No. K.4 X.6

Nga Son (105-58, 20-00),

Director: Nguyen Dai Dong Employees: 120

Thanh Hoa

Equipment: 2 lathes; 2 planing machines;

2 large and 2 small drills

Daily Production: 20 Stens and FM (sic)

a. No. XX 5

Yen Lang (105-36, 18-59),

Director: Vu Guong Employees: 80

Tho Xuan, Thanh Hoa

Production: saws, files and other shop

instruments

d. K6

Director: Nguyen Chinh

Location unspecified

Employees: 120

Production: chemicals; chlorate and potassium

explosives

K 2 XC

Nong Cong (105-42, 19-44),

Director: Dang Van Ly Equipment: 1 forge, 1 lathe

Thanh Hoa

Production: grenades

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